GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

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MINIMUM SUPPORT PRICE FOR SERICULTURE COMMODITIES
Sugavanam Shri E.G.

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Silk Board has submitted a proposal for minimum support price scheme for sericulture commodities; and

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI E.V.K.S. ELANGOVAN)

(a) & (b): Central Silk Board (CSB) had submitted a draft proposal on a Quality linked Minimum Support Price (MSP) Scheme for silk cocoons and raw silk to the Government. The proposal, on examination, was found unsatisfactory by the Government and has been returned to CSB for obtaining the views of the State Govts. and to re-formulate the scheme in the light of the comments received from the State Govts